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Re: North American Galvanizing Company St. Louis, MO RCRA I.D. No. MOD006284335

Dear Ms. Kennell,

This letter is North American Galvanizing Company's response to the three violations noted in your letter dated August 13, 1999.

The oil leak beside the compressor was due to equipment failure. The equipment is now repaired and the contaminated soil excavated. The contaminated soil will be properly disposed. To avoid any further releases a retaining wall will be built. The estimated completion date is September 30, 1999.

All fluorescent lamps will be sent to Heritage Environmental, 1188 Pershall Road, Bellefontaine, MO 63137, for recycling. I am exploring the possibility of purchasing only those fluorescent lamps that do not contain mercury. Until that time all lamps will be sent to the recycling facility.

We are not generating any Pre-flux Filter Cake at this time and do not anticipate generating any in the immediate future. However, should the status change I will have a composite analysis performed on the filter cake and I will send the results to you prior to disposal.

I hope I have answered all of your questions. However, if any questions remain, or if I can be of any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely

North American Galvanizing

Eddie Sloan Plant Manager





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